

Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. - 10. (cancelled)

11. (new) An impregnated substrate, wherein the substrate is impregnated with a cosmetic preparation comprising (i) one or more salts of fatty acids which comprise from 8 to 20 carbon atoms per molecule and (ii) one or more surfactants.

12. (new) The substrate of claim 11, wherein (i) comprises one or more potassium salts of fatty acids.

13. (new) The substrate of claim 11, wherein the fatty acids comprise one or more of lauric acid, myristic acid, palmitic acid, and stearic acid.

14. (new) The substrate of claim 13, wherein the one or more fatty acids comprise stearic acid.

15. (new) The substrate of claim 11, wherein (i) comprises at least one of potassium laurate, potassium myristate, potassium palmitate, potassium stearate, and potassium oleate.

16. (new) The substrate of claim 11, wherein (i) comprises at least three of potassium laurate, potassium myristate, potassium palmitate, and potassium stearate.

17. (new) The substrate of claim 16, wherein (i) comprises potassium stearate.

18. (new) The substrate of claim 11, wherein (ii) comprises one or more surfactants having an HLB value of greater than 25.

19. (new) The substrate of claim 18, wherein (ii) comprises one or more surfactants having an HLB value of greater than 35.

20. (new) The substrate of claim 11, wherein the cosmetic preparation further comprises one or more polysorbates.

21. (new) The substrate of claim 11, wherein the cosmetic preparation further comprises one or more film formers.

22. (new) The substrate of claim 21, wherein the one or more film formers comprise at least one of polyquaternium-10, polyquaternium-22 and polyquaternium-44.

23. (new) The substrate of claim 11, wherein the preparation further comprises etidronic acid.

24. (new) The substrate of claim 11, wherein the substrate comprises a wipe of a non-woven fabric.

25. (new) The substrate of claim 11, wherein the substrate is obtainable by a process wherein the one or more fatty acid salts dissolved in a heated cosmetic preparation are applied to the substrate, followed by cooling to cause the salts to separate or crystallize at least one of in and on the substrate.

26. (new) An impregnated substrate, wherein the substrate is impregnated with a cosmetic preparation comprising (i) one or more potassium and/or sodium salts of lauric acid, myristic acid, palmitic acid, and stearic acid and (ii) one or more surfactants having an HLB value of at least 25.

27. (new) The substrate of claim 26, wherein (ii) comprises one or more surfactants having an HLB value of at least 35.

28. (new) The substrate of claim 26, wherein (i) comprises potassium stearate.

29. (new) An impregnated substrate, wherein the substrate is impregnated with a cosmetic preparation comprising (i) at least three of potassium laurate, potassium myristate, potassium palmitate, and potassium stearate, (ii) one or more surfactants, and (iii) at least one film former.

30. (new) The substrate of claim 29, wherein the preparation further comprises one or more polysorbates.